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For: COMMUNICATION NETWORK,
WAVELENGTH DIVISION MULTIPLEX
TRANSMISSION EQUIPMENT, OPTICAL
SWITCH EQUIPMENT, AND OPTICAL
ATTRIBUTE/STATE ADMINISTERING
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CLAIM FOR PRIORITY

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Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

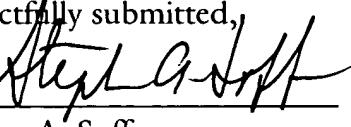
Applicant hereby claims priority under 35 U.S.C. 119 based on the following prior foreign application filed in the following foreign country on the date indicated:

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Japan	2001-15168	January 24, 2001

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